S.L.A.M. STATEMENT OF NON-VIOLENCE

The possibility of provocateurs attempting to incite violence is always a threat to any strike. S.L.A.M.'s strike is no different. However, our strike is based upon non-violent boycotting of classes, not upon destruction.

Harassment and disruptions may be caused by anyone who is not supporting the expressed wishes of the S.L.A.M. strikes, including the police. For example, during the B.A.M. strike at the University of Michigan, the strike leadership advocated non-violence, but violence occured anyway. A plainclothes Washtenaw County Sheriff was filmed while throwing the first brick through an L.S. & A. window. We have been harassed by having our phone service cut for one hour on Friday morning; Lewis Profit, Vice-President for Business and Finance, has blocked all Student Senate requisitions for mimeograph paper in a paranoid attempt to stop SLAM from disseminating strike information.

Let us emphasize again -- WE ARE A NON-VIOLENT STRIKE ORGANIZATION. Anyone that witnesses any violent demonstrator, please notify the strike center at 487-1470 or 487-1037.

Thank you,
S.L.A.M.
(Student Liberation Action Movement)